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General Features of Malko Turnovo

- 1. Malko Turnovo, which was not damaged during World War Two, is now being developed. The streets, paved with stone, are narrow and curved, lighted with electricity, and numbered, but they are not named. The main street is the highway from Burgas to Kirklareli.
- 2. There are no large buildings in the town. The buildings are generally of stone, brick, concrete or timber, and have two stories. The town has no parks or monuments.

Government

- 3. Malko Turnovo is the central town in an okoliya. The Chief of the Okoliya People's Council is Todor Kulaksizov: Ivan Yankov is Chief of the Economic and Food Section of the Okoliya People's Council and as such is in charge of the produce which is stored in the silos.
- 4. The City People's Council is located on the main road and the city square. The Chief of the City People's Council is Origor Popov; Dicho Pepkov is a member and the Secretary is (fnu) Biklev.
- 5. The Militia and State Security offices are located in a building near the City People's Council building. There are no jails or forced labor camps in Malko Túrnovo, or, indeed, in the entire okoliya.

Blectric Power

6. Malko Türnovo's electric power comes from Burgas at a voltage of 220, alternating current.

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